

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YAVAPAI

DIVISION: 6

By HON. WARREN R. DARROW

CASE NO. P1300CR20081339

JEANNE HICKS, CLERK

By: Heather Smith, Deputy Clerk

DATE: November 5, 2010

FILED

DATE: 11/05/10

10:44 O'Clock A.M.

JEANNE HICKS, CLERK

BY: HEATHER SMITH

Deputy

TITLE:

STATE OF ARIZONA

(Plaintiff)

Vs.

STEVEN CARROLL DEMOCKER

(D-1)

(Defendant)

COUNSEL:

Yavapai County Attorney (e)

(For Plaintiff)

John Sears (e)

Larry Hammond & Anne Chapman (e)

OSBORN MALEDON, P.A.

(For Defendant)

HEARING ON:

Pending Motions

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS

COURT REPORTER

Lisa Chaney

START TIME: 10:44 a.m.

APPEARANCES: Joseph Butner, Deputy County Attorney
Jeff Paupore, Deputy County Attorney
John Sears, Counsel for Defendant
Larry Hammond, Counsel for Defendant
Anne Chapman, Counsel for Defendant
Steven Carroll Democker, Defendant in Custody
Christopher DuPont, Counsel for Victims, Telephonically

At 10:44 a.m., Court reconvenes with both County Attorney's, Counsel and the Defendant present.

Court indicates, Defendant is present, in custody. John Sears, Larry Hammond and Ann Chapman are present on a limited basis.

Craig Williams and Michael Shaw are present as possible Defense Attorney's in this matter.

Craig Williams indicates, at this time, if he were to take over representation in this matter, he would not be ready to proceed with the Jury Trial for at least several months.

Counsel for State is ready to proceed with the trial and would oppose a mistrial.

Counsel, Larry Hammond briefly addresses the Court.

Craig Williams addresses the Notice filed by the Public Defender's Office.

Craig Williams requests he be allowed 1 week to review some records and information to help determine whether or not he can take the case.

Larry Hammond has no objection to a 1 week continuance. Larry Hammond addresses the ongoing confinement issues as to the Defendant and requests an attorney be appointed to at least handle the confinement issue.

Dean Trebesch addresses the Court as to his capacity of a contract administrator. He will continue to make efforts to find someone to assume this responsibility if Craig Williams and/or Michael Shaw have a conflict.

Counsel for State has no objection to an attorney being appointed to address the confinement issues. Counsel further does not oppose a continuance to allow the attorney's to research this matter.

Dean Trebesch addresses the Court as to the appointment of an attorney for the confinement issues. He will appoint an attorney if that is what he is directed to do.

Court directs an attorney be appointed for the Defendant to deal with the confinement issues only. That shall take place as soon as possible.

Court is not declaring a mistrial at this time.

Court has reviewed some authority as to this issue.

IT IS ORDERED setting a continued Status Conference for next Friday, November 12, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. in Division PT-B in Camp Verde.

Court and Counsel will review pending issues at that time.

Court adjourns at 11:07 a.m.

cc: Dean Trebesch (Contract Administrator) (PD) (e)
Christopher DuPont, Trautman DuPont PLC,
Counsel for Victims Charlotte and Katherine DeMocker
YCSO – Detention Records (e)
Victim Services (e)
John Napper, Counsel for Renee Girard (e)
Division 6
Craig Williams
Michael Shaw (e)